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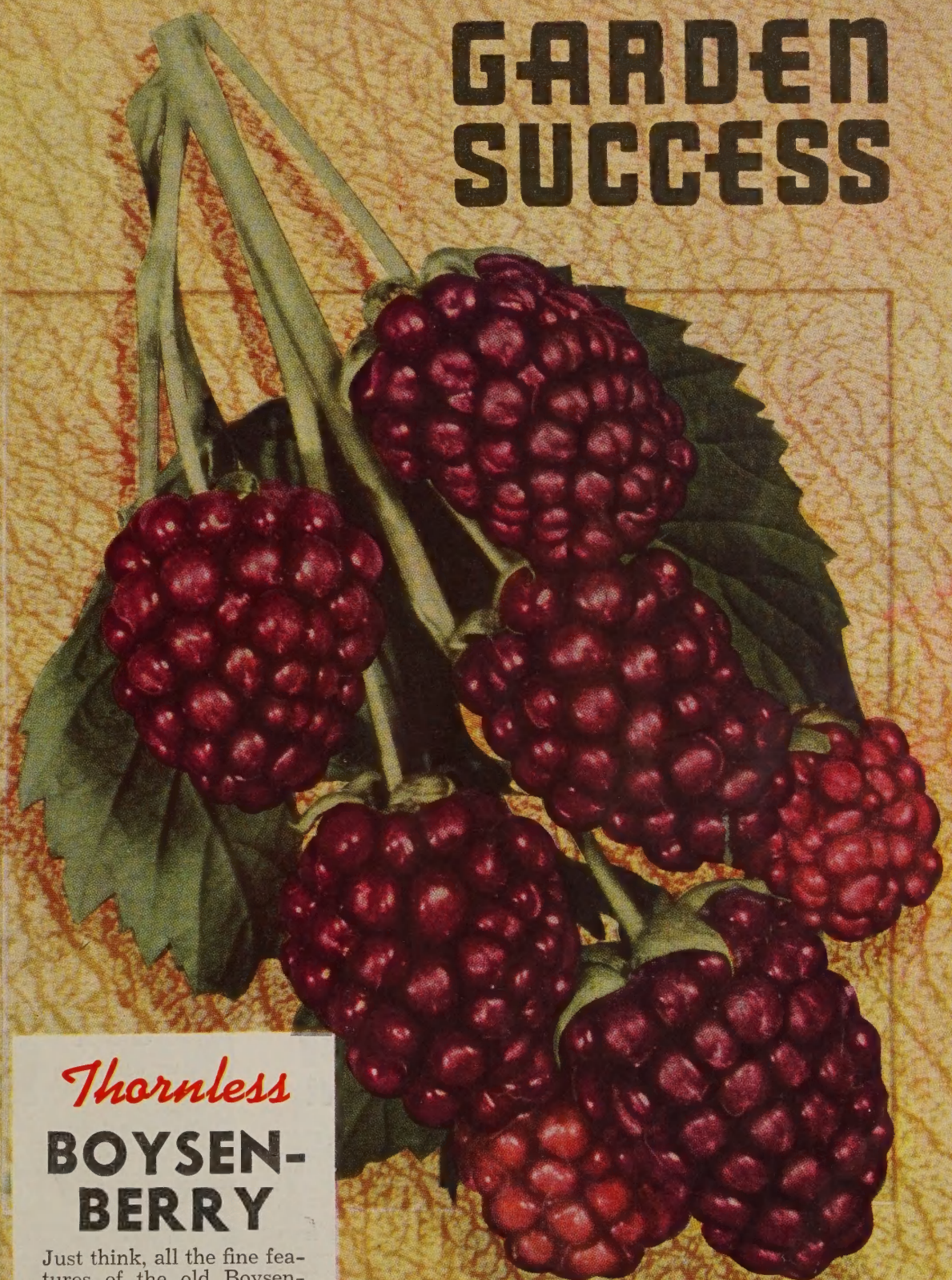


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# GARDEN SUCCESS



## *Thornless* **BOYSEN- BERRY**

Just think, all the fine features of the old Boysenberry plus 10 days earlier ripening and no thorns to scratch your hands when picking. See page 8.

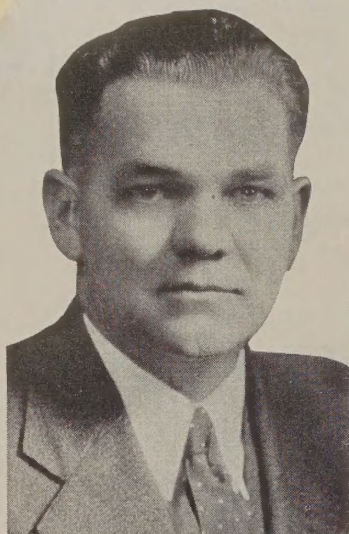
**SOUTH MICHIGAN NURSERY  
NEW BUFFALO, MICHIGAN**

George  
Stromer  
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SPRING  
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FALL  
1941





GEORGE STROMER

## A Personal Message from GEORGE STROMER

### Come To Me For Highest Grade Northern Grown Fruit Trees and Plants at Real Money-Saving Prices

Here is the newest issue of my Annual Money-Saving Catalog which I call "Garden Success." In these pages you will find Big Bargains in finest-grade strawberry, boysenberry, raspberry, blackberry plants, as well as the very best in apples, peaches, cherries, pears, blueberries, grapes, lovely flowers and ornamentals. Every item in this new 1941 Garden Book is offered to you at low money-saving prices and is guaranteed to be first class in every respect.

I'm not going to take a lot of space to "brag" about our equipment and facilities. You want good healthy nursery stock and plants that will grow and produce . . . and you want them at reasonable prices. We offer you exactly that. All the stock we ship is state inspected once, twice and sometimes three times. Your order, whether large or small, will be greatly appreciated and will be shipped exactly in accordance with your instructions. All orders are acknowledged promptly by first class mail. I invite you to take advantage of the bargains you'll find on the following pages.

GEORGE STROMER.

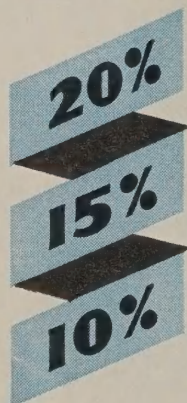


JOHN STROMER

### LANDSCAPE DEPARTMENT

For the convenience of those who live near our nursery, we have a new landscape department operated by John Stromer. John, a son of the founder, was brought up on the nursery and has a practical and valuable experience in landscape design and planting. Feel free to call on him at any time for suggestions regarding your home planting. He will gladly furnish sketches and estimates of cost without obligation. All materials furnished are, of course, our best grade of specimen stock.

## FREE VALUABLE PREMIUMS



**DISCOUNT**  
until Feb. 5

**DISCOUNT**  
until Mar. 5

**DISCOUNT**  
until Apr. 5

Balance of season  
net prices

### Premiums For Orders Amounting to \$5.00 Net Up to \$10.00.

Your choice of either.  
50 Mastodon Everbearing Strawberry  
plants, worth \$1.15.  
1 Hansen Bush Cherry, worth 50c.  
12 Horseradish Roots, worth 55c.

### Premiums for Orders Amounting to \$10.00 Net Up to \$25.00

Your choice of either.  
2 Blueberry Bushes, 2 yr. old. Worth \$1.30.  
4 Hansen Bush Cherry 3 yr. Worth \$1.64.  
100 Mastodon Eveb. Strawberry. Worth \$1.85.  
100 Fine Mixed Gladiolus Bulbs. Worth \$1.35.

### Premiums for Orders Amounting to \$25.00 Net Up to \$50.00

Your choice of either.  
250 Mastodon Everbearing Strawberry  
plants, worth \$4.00.  
250 Gem Everbearing Strawberry plants,  
worth \$3.00.

### Premiums for Orders Amounting to \$50.00 Net Up

1000 Mastodon Eveb. Strawberry plants  
worth \$9.50.

20% discount will again be allowed for all 1941 Fall orders.

If this catalog reaches you after January 1941 we will allow you 10 days time to take advantage of the 20% discount. This is done to be fair to folks who ask for the catalog, and receive it after Discount dates.

### REFERENCES

Citizens Bank, Michigan City, Ind., American Railway Express Agent, Postmaster, or Dun & Bradstreet.

### REMITTANCE

Our terms are cash with order. Or we will book early orders, if one-third of amount is sent with orders, and balance payable April 1st, or before plants are shipped. Remit by Draft, Post Office Money Order, Express Money Order, Registered Letter, or your personal check. Stamps may be sent for small orders. For the very best service, send money orders.

### HOW TO ORDER

Use the order sheet or ordinary paper. Write plainly the amount of each variety wanted, name of each variety and price.

**(Write name and  
address plainly.)**

(If possible, all members of the same family should order under one name)

**Our Phone No. is  
New Buffalo 27.**

### Correct Planting Booklet

Forty-eight pages of valuable information on planting, pruning and general care of plants, shrubs, trees, etc. Everyone interested in plants should have this book. Supply limited.

PRICE 25c.

If Included  
With Order— **15c**

### GUARANTEE

WE GUARANTEE that our nursery stock is first-class in every respect, free from disease, freshly dug, true to name, and to reach you in good growing condition. We will at our option either replace free of charge or refund your money on any shipment which arrives in bad condition, providing claim is made within five days after arrival of shipment, with a signed statement from our Express Agent or Postmaster, showing the extent of damage.

Our stock is carefully handled and full of vitality and, under ordinary conditions, should grow for you. But if it does not, owing to the weather and other conditions over which we have no control, we will replace it at half price the following season, if you notify us not later than October 1, 1940.

It is understood between purchaser and ourselves that we are not liable for any greater amount than paid for stock.

**SOUTH MICHIGAN NURSERY**

(Geo. Stromer)

**NEW BUFFALO, MICH.**



# Wayzata Strawbearer

**The Honey-Sweet Berry  
Red to the Heart  
Small Hulls—No Green Tips  
Disease Free  
Three Crops in 18 Months  
Sweet as Sugar**

WAYZATA challenges the world in flavor, size and productiveness. Newly set plants will start to bear within 60 days, and continue for nearly 6 months, without any let up, providing that they are cultivated once a week, and all weeds kept out. This variety adapts itself to most any type of soil. The plants are hardy, and tough. Their dark green leathery-like leaves are rarely attacked by the common strawberry plant diseases. Wayzata plants set in the Spring of 1941 will start to bear within 60 to 90 days, and bear all summer up to severe killing frosts. They will again bear a full crop in June 1942, and another in the Fall of 1942. Three nice big crops in 18 months. It is not an unusual thing to have fresh strawberry shortcake for Thanksgiving days—both of them. 100 plants will be sufficient for an average family.

*Bears  
from  
July*



Wayzata is fully as drought-resisting as the old Senator Dunlap variety. Wayzata differs from most all other varieties in this way. It makes very few new runner plants, but stools out all around the mother plant. These stools are really the new plants, and start right in to bear all summer long. If Wayzata is set real early in the Spring, or the Fall before, they will make quite a few runner plants. This variety is considered however, a poor plant maker and this is the reason for them being priced higher than other everbearing varieties. 100 days after the plants are set it is possible to count over 20 fruit stems, and more buds and blooms coming out. The plants will be loaded with ripe berries, green ones, blossoms, and buds all at the same time.

Wayzata fruit shipped from this section during the Summer and Fall (1940), sold for \$2.50 to \$3.75 per 16 quart case. They have been retailing for 25c to 35c per quart at roadside stands. 100 plants will supply you lots of berries for table use and 1000 plants or more will make you more money than anything you have ever tried. It takes 8000 plants to set an acre. You have never really tasted canned strawberries or strawberry jam till you make some out of this Wayzata variety. No other variety will do after that, we are sure. Be sure to try 100 at least this year. The supply is limited.

## WAYZATA PRICES

12 for.....	\$ 1.00	250 for.....	\$ 8.40
25 for.....	1.75	300 for.....	9.75
50 for.....	2.95	400 for.....	12.50
100 for.....	4.50	500 for.....	15.00
200 for.....	6.95	1000 for.....	29.50

LESS DISCOUNTS

### Collection No. 1

100 Wayzata eveb.  
100 Mastodon eveb.

For only **\$4.45**  
No Discount.

### Collection No. 2

25 Wayzata eveb.  
25 Mastodon eveb.  
25 Gem eveb.

For only **\$2.25**  
No Discount.



Have Straw-  
berries on the table  
until late November

*Until  
November  
Frost  
!*

## A Barrel of Strawberries

And a Barrel of Fun



Grow any ever-bearing Strawberry in a barrel. Fifty plants can be planted in a common sugar barrel, or even an old potato barrel. Bore 2-inch holes in the side of the barrel, and fill barrel with some good soil. Then set the plants in these holes, and 10 plants can be set on top. Keep well watered. Be sure to bore a few small holes in the bottom for drainage. Barrel can be kept in the back yard, or even on the back porch. This saves space, and you can have berries for breakfast twice a week. No weeds, no cultivation necessary. Keep runners pinched off. Wayzata would be the ideal variety to grow by this method. They make very few runners.  
25 Wayzata and 25 Mastodon—special price  
No discount

**\$1.80**





Mastodon

# MASTODON

## GIANT MASTODON EVERBEARER

3 FULL CROPS IN 18 MONTHS

3 BIG PROFITS

Mastodon has been with us for about 20 years, and in all these twenty years we have never known them to fail on a full crop 5 to 6 months long the same year they are set out. The size of the berry is like Wayzata—very large. It is of very good quality, red all the way through, and fine flavor. Bears as heavy as Wayzata, and make many new runner plants. These new runner plants will also bear towards Fall, and then you have a real picking row. This wide row will make fine picking the next June as a Spring berry. Mastodon does not require any special soil, care or petting. They grow most any where, or on any soil that will grow garden or potatoes. They sell like "Hot cakes" on road side stands, or on any market. It will take a hard freeze to stop the Mastodon from bearing. White frosts will never hurt them at all. A field of Mastodon in full bearing in late November is a sight never to be forgotten. Even after a light snow one can go out and find ripe berries unharmed.

### Attention! COMMERCIAL GROWERS AND LARGE LOT BUYERS

To anyone interested in buying large lots of Mastodon everbearing strawberry plants, we invite you to write us for our Special prices. Beyond a single doubt we have the largest supply of Mastodon plants in Michigan. Before you buy, be sure to get our Special low prices. Phone or wire if in a hurry.

PHONE NEW BUFFALO NO. 27

### MASTODON PRICES

25 for .....	\$ .85
50 for .....	1.15
100 for .....	1.85
200 for .....	3.50
250 for .....	4.00
300 for .....	4.40
400 for .....	5.00
500 for .....	5.50
1000 for .....	9.50
Less discount	

### Collection No. 3

100 Mastodon eveb.	
100 Gem eveb.	<b>\$2.00</b>
For only .....	
NO DISCOUNT	

### Collection No. 4

1000 Mastodon eveb.	
1000 Gem eveb.	<b>\$12.00</b>
For only ....	
NO DISCOUNT	

### SURPLUS EVERBEARING STRAWBERRY PLANTS.

During our digging season often there are plants left from each day's digging that are not used or packed that day. Rather than hold these plants we offer them at the low price of \$4.50 per 1000. These are freshly dug plants and will guarantee them to be everbearing varieties. Please do not ask us to label them. This is a real bargain. Supply will be limited, so get your order in early.

NO DISCOUNTS ALLOWED

**\$4.50 per 1000**

# FUJIYAMA

The Largest Berry Ever Grown.

This Japanese variety is really well named, being named after Japan's famous largest mountain, Mt. Fujiyama. Fujiyama is the largest of all strawberries. Berries have been known to measure 7 inches around and weigh nearly 2 ounces.

Fujiyama is a home use and a near-by market berry, being not quite firm enough to ship, or haul very far. Fujiyama makes a beautiful fruiting row, and produces like Premier. Ripens mid-season to late and holds its size up well to the last picking.

### FUJIYAMA PRICES

25 for .....	\$ .90	300 for .....	\$3.30
50 for .....	1.10	400 for .....	3.95
100 for .....	1.30	500 for .....	4.75
200 for .....	2.45	1000 for .....	9.75
250 for .....	2.95	Less discount	



Fujiyama



# GEM

## Giant Everbearer

Bears 60 Days after planting.

Gem differs a little from Wayzata and Mastodon in this way. Gem prefers a clay or a heavy sandy loam soil, where Wayzata and Mastodon do well on most any kind of soil. Gem also does best when grown in the hill system, so for best results keep all runners nipped off. The berries are large and smooth, and of a light red color, that ripen up even all around. Bears equally as heavy as Mastodon, and the berries get larger towards Fall. Runner plants will bear as well as the mother plant. Gem is a good plant maker. Plants as a rule are smaller than Mastodon or Wayzata. Makes a good June bearing variety. Bears 3 crops in 18 months. Gem makes a beautiful quart of berries as you can see to the right. This is an actual photograph. Berries like these sell for 50 cents a quart around Thanksgiving, and bring good prices all summer long.



### GEM PRICES

25 for .....	\$ .75	300 for .....	3.30
50 for .....	1.00	400 for .....	4.00
100 for .....	1.50	500 for .....	4.75
200 for .....	2.70	1000 for .....	9.00
250 for .....	3.00	Less discount	

Write for special prices in larger quantities.

20% discount until Feb. 5

15% discount until Mar. 5

10% discount until April 5

If you receive this catalog after discount dates, we will allow you 10 days to take advantage. This is fair to those who receive the catalog late.

Gem

# MAJESTIC

## A New Introduction

Here is a brand new strawberry, and a good one. Patented Oct. 24th, 1939. The one outstanding feature of the Majestic is that it outbears every other variety. Here is how it compares with other good varieties.

Name	Length of row	Total Quarts
Majestic	320	229
Catskill	300	126
Fairfax	600	137
Premier	640	156

These tests were made by Mr. D. A. Tucker, assistant Horticulturist of Blacksburg, Va. Blooms late. Ripens midseason. Berries extremely large, conical shape. Bright golden red in color, and fine firm texture. Has superior shipping qualities. Has a sweet wild strawberry flavor. Plants disease free. This is a patented variety, and plants from this variety cannot be sold without a permit from the patent holder. Only 4000 needed to plant an acre. Bears nearly 3 times as much as Premier.

### MAJESTIC PRICES

25 for ....	\$ 1.00	300 for ....	6.00
50 for ....	1.60	400 for ....	7.00
100 for ....	2.75	500 for ....	7.75
200 for ....	4.50	1000 for ....	15.00
250 for ....	5.50	Less Discount	



Majestic



# NEW! Catskill

In all sections except the South growers can plant Catskill with confidence of good results. As a sure cropper it ranks with Premier, and just about as productive. Berries are large, round and smooth. It is a medium late variety, borne on long upright stems that keep the berries up off the ground. This prevents sandy berries during rainy weather, and also makes picking easier. Berries ship well, and the quality is extra good. Berries are light color, making it a good commercial variety. As you know the market no longer wants dark colored berries. Prices same as Premier.



Catskill

## Collection No. 5

100 Fujiyama  
100 Premier  
100 Ambrosia

For only **\$2.00**

NO DISCOUNT

## CATSKILL PRICES

25 for.....	\$0.60
50 for.....	.85
100 for.....	1.25
200 for.....	2.20
250 for.....	2.50
300 for.....	2.75
400 for.....	2.85
500 for.....	3.00
1000 for.....	5.75
LESS DISCOUNT	

## VITAMIN B<sub>1</sub>

Reduces Transplanting Shock.

Performs miracles in your own garden. 1 tablet makes one gallon of solution. Soak roots half hour before transplanting. No Delay. No Mistakes. No Waste.

12 for.....	\$0.25
50 for.....	.65
100 for.....	1.00

Postpaid—NO DISCOUNT

*Stromer's*

## PREMIER

The Most Popular Berry Ever Introduced

If you plant STROMER'S PREMIER you will get the first berries on the market. They will be bearing heavily before other varieties begin. Your biggest picking will be when berries are in good demand and are bringing top prices. Premier will grow anywhere. The plants are sturdy and long rooted, a good drought-resister. The berries are very large, and hold their size to the last picking. The flavor cannot be beaten.

In Premier we offer you the greatest early Strawberry of all time. However, the early ripening of this variety is only one of its many good features. It is immensely productive and, unlike other early ripening Strawberries, the fruit produced by Premier is of the very finest quality, color, texture and flavor; and last but not least, every berry is large in size and uniform in shape. For every purpose that a Strawberry is wanted, Premier is supreme—eating, canning, preserving, distant and local market—no other variety can give you any more pleasure, satisfaction or profit. Premier succeeds everywhere and never fails to give a big crop of the very finest berries. The foliage is tough and healthy and grows tall and rank, covering the blossoms and berries, and protecting them from frost and scalding sun.

## PREMIER PRICES

25 for.....	\$0.60	300 for.....	\$2.75
50 for.....	.85	400 for.....	2.85
100 for.....	1.25	500 for.....	3.00
200 for.....	2.20	1000 for.....	5.75
250 for.....	2.50	LESS DISCOUNT	

Premier



## Surplus Strawberry Plants

**\$3.50 No Discount**

During our digging season every spring, when we are getting out 50,000 to 90,000 plants every day, naturally, at the end of each day, there are a few plants of all varieties left. We never carry plants over from one day to another, so that these plants are classed as surplus plants. We offer them to you who do not care to have named varieties, at \$3.50 per 1000. We will not label these plants as to variety, simply calling them surplus plants. They are first class plants, fresh dug, and will bear you a fine crop. The plant crop is short and we reserve the right to withdraw this offer at any time, so order this bargain early.

NO DISCOUNTS



South Michigan Nursery  
New Buffalo, Mich.

Fairfax



## FAIRFAX

**Fine For  
Shipping**

This is one of the finest Spring bearing strawberries grown. It is an extra good home use berry, and especially for canning and jam making, because it is nearly black. It is the darkest red strawberry we know of. It is so firm that one has to cut or slice them to get them to make juice. There is no other variety that can compare to it in quality unless it would be Wayzata. It's simply delicious eaten fresh or in a shortcake. It's a good shipper, but does not sell quite as well as a light colored berry. Midseason and heavy bearer.

### FAIRFAX PRICES

25 for.....	\$0.50	300 for.....	2.40
50 for.....	.60	400 for.....	2.80
100 for.....	.95	500 for.....	3.25
200 for.....	1.70	1000 for.....	6.50
250 for.....	2.00	LESS DISCOUNTS	

## Ambrosia

SOMETIMES CALLED "FROST KING"  
**The Perfect Late Variety**

The Ambrosia Late is absolutely the very best late Strawberry that we have today. It is also one of the very largest Strawberries that we have ever grown. Thirty berries are known to fill a quart box. Plants grow tall and vigorous. Have seen them growing on good land, where the leaves and fruit stems would be 14 inches tall. As the berries ripen and get heavy, the fruit stems will turn down, and what a sight to look at, when you brush the leaves to one side. At last we have found a real good late Strawberry to lengthen the Strawberry bearing season.

### AMBROSIA PRICES

25 for.....	\$0.50	300 for.....	\$2.40
50 for.....	.60	400 for.....	2.80
100 for.....	.95	500 for.....	3.25
200 for.....	1.70	1000 for.....	6.50
250 for.....	2.00	LESS DISCOUNTS	

Ambrosia



## SENATOR DUNLAP

Senator Dunlap is an old well known variety that has made more dollars for berry growers than any other variety. It grows most anywhere, and is the toughest, healthiest and fastest grower of them all. Berries dark red, not so large as others, but the quality is fine. Wonderful for canning, as well as fresh. Sometimes listed as Dr. Burrill.

### PRICES

25 for.....	\$0.50	300 for.....	\$2.25
50 for.....	.65	400 for.....	2.40
100 for.....	.95	500 for.....	2.50
200 for.....	1.80	1000 for.....	4.50
250 for.....	2.00	LESS DISCOUNTS	



## GRAND CHAMPION

(ALL SEASONS)

Greatest money-making Strawberry ever introduced, no crop failure on account of frosts. Has produced over 5000 quarts on one-half acre in spite of heavy spring freezes.

ALL SEASON BEARER. Commences to ripen with the Premier, the earliest berry, and produces fancy berries with the Aroma, which is a late berry. Plants are large, extra heavy, healthy foliage; berries are bright red, very large in size, and have a fancy appearance. By all means try a few in your locality. Supply is very limited. Order early to avoid disappointment.

### Grand Champion Prices

25 .....	\$0.65	250 .....	\$2.75
50 .....	.80	300 .....	3.00
75 .....	1.00	400 .....	3.60
100 .....	1.35	500 .....	4.25
200 .....	2.20	1000 .....	8.50
LESS DISCOUNTS			





*New!*  
**BOYSENBERRY**

## BOYSENBERRY THE NEW MONEY-MAKER

**Known to bear nearly 6 tons per acre. Berries get to be 1½ to 2 inches long, 1 inch thick. Sweet, few seeds and hardy.**

Boysenberry is the sensational new berry. It was introduced in 1932 in California. It is a cross between the California Loganberry, Raspberry, and Blackberry. Think of a berry that has a little of each of these fruits all in one giant, nearly seedless, beautiful wine-colored berry, with a flavor that you will never forget. They are sweet and juicy, yet firm enough to stand handling and shipping to market. The vines are hardy, and can be grown in the East and North, as well as in California and other southern states.

### Enormous Size

From a recent publication by the United States Dept. of Agriculture is the following statement: "Under favorable conditions, 50 of the largest berries will fill a quart box." Of course these 50 berries would have to be selected, and would not be the average. We would say that 75 to 85 berries would be average.

### Profitable

Whether you are growing berries for market or just a few in your garden, it will pay you well to get started right now. Twenty-five plants will be plenty for home use. Six hundred plants will set an acre, set 8 ft. by 8 ft.

#### BOYSENBERRY PRICES

1 Year No. 1 Plants	2 Year Old No. 1 Bearing Age Transplants
3 for.....\$ 0.50	1 for.....\$0.25
6 for......75	3 for......60
12 for..... 1.25	6 for..... 1.00
25 for..... 1.90	12 for..... 1.75
50 for..... 2.95	25 for..... 3.00
100 for..... 5.50	50 for..... 5.50
200 for..... 10.50	100 for..... 9.95
300 for..... 14.55	Limit 200 to a customer.
400 for..... 18.00	
500 for..... 20.00	
1000 for..... 39.95	
Less Discounts	Less Discounts

## Thornless Boysenberry

(See Cover for Picture)

This is the early ripening strain of Thornless Boysenberry with canes as smooth as a grape vine. RIPENS 10 DAYS TO TWO WEEKS EARLIER THAN BOYSENBERRY. The introducer claims even heavier yields from this Thornless Boysenberry than the common Boysenberry. This new strain Thornless Boysenberry is identical to the Boysenberry except that there are no thorns, and it ripens earlier. This is a very good feature as the early berries bring more money. The Thornless is just as hardy, rugged, and heavy bearer as its parent the Boysenberry. Vines grow 25 ft. long, and this pretty apple-green vine loaded with giant purple beauties is a sight you will never forget, and after you taste a handful of them, other berries will go begging for a while. Delicious with cream and sugar, and when made into jam, it's the last word. Supply of plants still limited, so hurry.

#### PRICES

1 Year No. 1 Plants	2 Yr. Old Bearing Age Transplants
Each .....\$ 0.40	Each .....\$ 1.25
3 for..... 1.00	3 for..... 3.00
6 for..... 1.50	6 for..... 4.00
12 for..... 2.50	12 for..... 7.00
25 for..... 4.50	25 for..... 12.50
50 for..... 8.00	
Less Discounts	Less Discounts

## DISCOUNTS

**20% Discount until Feb. 5**

**15% Discount until March 5**

**10% Discount until April 5**

If you receive this catalog late we will allow you 10 days to take advantage of the above 20% offer.

#### Collection No. 6

25 Boysenberry  
6 Thornless Boysenberry  
3 Morrison Blackcap.  
All 1 yr. No. 1 plants

for only **\$3.00**

NO DISCOUNT

#### Collection No. 7

25 Boysenberry  
25 Sodus  
25 Alfred B.B.  
25 Latham  
All 1 yr. No. 1 plants

For only **\$3.50**

NO DISCOUNT



# Cultivated BLUEBERRIES

## DELICIOUS—PROFITABLE VERY ORNAMENTAL

Our Blueberries are far superior to the wild Blueberry or Huckleberry. These Blueberries grow in large clusters of the most beautiful blue color, plump, tender and practically seedless. The flavor of these cultivated Blueberries is simply delicious. Bushes will grow to the height of 8 feet. The plant itself is very ornamental.

### Jumbo Size

During the summer the foliage is deep satiny green, and against this background hang clusters of berries royal in their magnificence. During autumn the leaves turn bronze, and during the winter months the twigs are red. Buds are pink and open to white, bell-shaped flowers. *Two plants* should be set out to insure cross pollination, so we would not advise to set just one plant. We are offering 2-year plants that will start to bear the second year. Blueberries like these sell for 55c and 70c per quart on retail markets.

### Require Little Care

Blueberries prefer an acid soil containing an abundance of peat or other partially rotted vegetable matter. They also need a moderate supply of moisture, but good drainage. In other words, water must not stand where they are planted. If your soil is not already acid, this condition can be created by mixing in the soil, old sawdust, pine needles, or soil from the bottom of old wood piles. But the very best thing to use is our Blueberry grower. This is a sour fertilizer you should use for Blueberries, Evergreens, Azaleas, Rhododendrons, or any shrub that requires an acid soil.

### Culture

**DIRECTIONS** for the use of Blueberry grower for planting Blueberries or other plants that need an acid condition: Dig a hole large enough for the roots to have a full spread on the bottom, so the ends of the roots do not turn up. Have the hole at least six inches deeper than needed. Then pour one gallon of Blueberry Grower in the bottom with an equal amount of the top dirt, mix this thoroughly before putting the plant in place. Then use another gallon as you fill the hole up. If the soil is poor, use more of the Blueberry Grower. You will be pleased with the results.

Price: 2-bushel bag (about 100 lbs.), \$1.00, no discount. Carload prices on request.

### BLUEBERRY PRICES

	2	4	10	25	50	100
2 year.....	\$1.30	\$2.25	\$ 5.50	\$11.00	\$20.50	\$40.00
3 year.....	2.25	4.00	8.75	18.75	30.00	59.00
4 year.....	4.00	7.50	15.00	Been bearing 2 yrs.		
5 year.....	5.00	8.40	19.00	Been bearing 3 yrs.		
7 year.....	6.00	4 ft. tall.	Been bearing 4 years.			

Varieties like Rubel, Rancocas, Jersey and Harding are available. However we will reserve the right to send the varieties we have.

Please Lend This Catalog to Your Neighbor

#### Collection No. 8

10 Blueberry plants 2 yr. old  
1 Bag Stromer's Blueberry grower

**\$5.00**

All for only

NO DISCOUNT

#### Collection No. 9

10 Blueberry 2 yr. old  
1 Bag Stromer's Blueberry grower

**\$7.00**

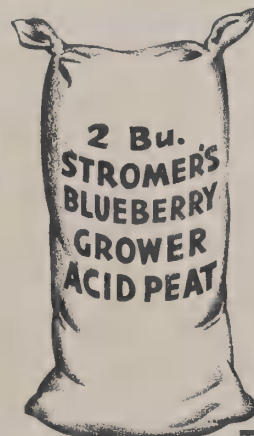
All for only

NO DISCOUNT



**SOUTH  
MICHIGAN  
NURSERY**

New Buffalo, Mich.



### STROMER'S BLUEBERRY GROWER

This acid Peat will hold 15 to 20 times its weight in water, and contains the fertilizer value that Blueberries and evergreens need. We recommend this product for any plant that requires an acid sour soil.

#### PRICE

Two bu. bag, weighing about 100 lbs., \$1.00. NO DISCOUNT. We usually ship this by FREIGHT. 5 bags for \$4.00. 10 bags for \$7.00. NO DISCOUNT.





Indian Summer



Latham Raspberry

# INDIAN SUMMER

## Everbearing Red Raspberry

This new two crop or everbearing red raspberry was introduced by the New York Experiment Station. It bears in July like any other red raspberry, and also in the Fall beginning in Sept. on the new growth, and continues till frost. The berries are large, conical shape, and of extra fine quality. This variety is by far the best of all the everbearing varieties so far. We have discarded St. Regis for this new variety. Prices below.

# LATHAM

## RED RASPBERRY

Commercial growers first choice.

This is beyond a single doubt the very best of all the Red raspberries so far. Latham is large, some measuring an inch in diameter, firm, sweet, few seeds, and perfectly hardy. Stands 45° below zero. Grows tall heavy canes that can carry the heavy load. Finest variety for commercial growers, and home use. Prices below.

# SODUS

## (The Perfect Purple Raspberry)

There are several Purple varieties, but SODUS is the very best of them all, so we do not list the others. The berries are as large as Latham, firm, and sweet. Plants grow very rank, and healthy, and nearly 100% disease free. Ripen shortly after Latham, and sell on sight. It's a pleasure to pick these large purple caps.

# CUMBERLAND

## The Business Black Cap

This has always been the most profitable Black raspberry ever grown. It is a safe and reliable commercial variety as well as a very fine home use berry. It succeeds in all soils, and can be depended upon.

CUMBERLAND is perfectly hardy, and almost disease free. The berries are extra large, glossy black, few seeds and excellent flavor. You will never go wrong by planting Cumberland. None better except Morrison Blackcap.

## GOLDEN QUEEN

A beautiful large golden yellow raspberry. Many prefer this variety to any of the reds or blacks, owing to its sugary sweetness, and unsurpassed flavor. Should be in every garden, its beauty and high quality placing it at the head for table use. The canes are hardy, vigorous growers, and heavy croppers.

### PRICES

#### 1-yr. No. 1

1 for..\$0.20	25 for \$2.50
3 for.. .50	50 for 4.50
6 for.. .90	75 for 6.50
12 for.. 1.50	100 for 7.50

#### 2-Yr. Bearing Age Plants

1 for...\$0.35	12 for...\$3.00
3 for.... 1.00	25 for... 4.50
6 for.... 1.85	

LESS DISCOUNTS

### INDIAN SUMMER, LATHAM, SODUS and CUMBERLAND PRICES

#### 1 Year No. 1

12 for.....\$1.00	100 for...\$3.85	400 for \$11.00
25 for..... 1.25	200 for.... 7.00	500 for 12.50
50 for..... 2.25	250 for.... 8.10	1000 for 24.50
75 for..... 3.20	300 for.... 9.00	LESS DISCOUNTS

#### 2 Year Old Bearing-Age Plants

1 for.....\$0.25	25 for..... 1.50	100 for...\$4.95
6 for..... .75	50 for..... 2.50	LESS DISCOUNTS
12 for..... 1.00		

Sodus Purple Raspberry





# ALFRED

## Blackberry

**STANDS 35° BELOW ZERO**

**GEORGE STROMER—Originator**

Year after year, with diligent care, I have propagated these plants to such an extent that the fruit is now being supplied to the local markets at a fancy price, and is always in good demand. Last year I measured a good many berries that were over one and one-half inches long, and three inches around. Buy from the originator and get GENUINE ALFRED.

**IMMENSE SIZE.** The berries are twice as large as ordinary Blackberries, many of them  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches long, and the finest flavored of all Blackberries. It is practically CORELESS, sweet and delicious. Very small seed.

**EXTREMELY HARDY.** ALFRED can be grown anywhere without winter protection, having withstood 30 degrees below zero, and not a single tip of a branch injured, while our other varieties were frozen to the ground.

**EARLY SEASON.** It ripens a week to ten days earlier than Eldorado and in productiveness it is in a class by itself. We have seen them bear a second crop. We picked many cases this year in September.

### PRICES—LESS DISCOUNTS

#### 1-Yr. No. 1

12 for.....\$0.55	100 for...\$2.75	400 for \$ 8.00
25 for......90	200 for.... 4.70	500 for 9.25
50 for..... 1.65	250 for.... 5.50	1000 for 17.95

#### 2-Yr. No. 1 Bearing-Age Transplants

1 for.....\$0.15	25 for.....\$1.60	75 for...\$3.75
6 for......55	50 for..... 2.75	100 for... 4.50
12 for......85		

#### LESS DISCOUNTS

### THE NEW

## MORRISON BLACKCAP

Would you believe that there could be a Black Raspberry that would grow larger than the Cumberland? Well, there is one now called the Morrison Blackcap. This new variety was found growing wild in Girard, Penna., by County Agent Paul Croosman of Erie County. Mr. Crossman was attracted by its unusually large size, and its shiny jet black color. The berry is much larger than the Cumberland, many of them nearly an inch in diameter. Mr. Croosman says that the plants are very free from disease, and are vigorous growers. We have been fortunate in obtaining a limited amount of these plants for our own propagation purposes, but we are going to let a few of them go to our customers for 1941. Don't wait too long, as when our quota is sold, we will have to refund the money, and you will have to wait till 1942 to get your start.

Prices 1 yr. No. 1 plants. Each 35c; 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.50; 12 for \$2.00; 25 for \$3.00; 50 for \$5.50; 100 for \$9.95. Limit. Less discounts.

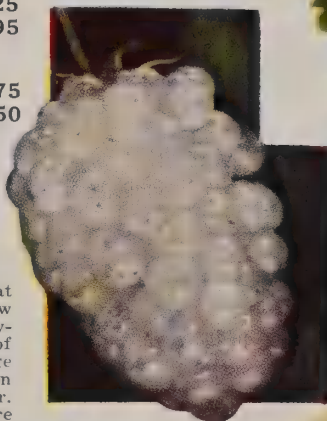
### CRYSTAL WHITE Blackberry

Strange as it may seem, this is a real creamy white Blackberry. Mixed with the jet black ones for dessert, it makes a most wonderful dish. The fruit is about the size of Alfred, with few seeds and quite sweet when fully ripe. The bushes are good, strong growers and very productive. This is not a worthless novelty, but a fruit of real value, and should be in every garden.

1-Yr. No. 1 Plants: 20c each; 6 for 90c; 25 for \$2.50.  
2-Yr. Old Bearing Age Transplants: 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.85; 12 for \$3.00.



Alfred  
Blackberry



Crystal  
White  
Blackberry

Below  
Morrison  
Black Cap



Golden  
Queen

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## DOLGO CRAB APPLE

The perfect Crab. Hardy everywhere. Heavy bearer, usually beginning the year after setting. Jells perfectly even when dead ripe. A fine ornamental tree for the lawn as well as a wonderful commercial sort. Rapidly displacing such varieties as Transcendent and Hyslop. Bears young.

**PRICES:** Each 3 6 10  
2-yr., 9/16 inch trees...\$0.65 \$1.80 \$3.25 \$5.00  
3-year-old, \$1.00 each.

Northern Spy



Anoka

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# Stromer's Profitable APPLE TREES

## NORTHERN SPY

(Farley No. 9)

A strong vigorous tree, early bearing, heavy annual production, large size in fruit and an attractive typical striped color. The parent tree produced a full crop of nearly 12 bu. when only 9 yrs. old. The fruit is very large and extremely attractive. Flesh very juicy, crisp and tender, and most excellent for either dessert or culinary uses. Season November to March. 2 yr. and 3 yr. old trees available.

## CORTLAND

The young bearing habits of this fine new apple has astonished growers everywhere. It is one of the greatest eating apples, and also a good shipper. It is an offspring of the famous McIntosh. Clings to the trees till picked. Bears 2 or 3 years after planting. Fruit most highly colored red, fine grained, crisp and juicy. 2 and 3 yr. size trees available.

## TURLEY WINESAP

This is a great Indiana Commercial apple. Fruit very large and much redder than other Winesap. Trees bear in 5 or 6 years, and regular. 2 yr. and 3 yr. trees available.

## DWARF VERTICAL CORDONS APPLE



Vertical Cordons are trained Espalier trees which require the least care and room, and still give greatest satisfaction. They are ideal for small gardens, requiring not more than 2 ft. planting distance. They are most attractive when planted as a border along a walk or wall. They will grow no taller than a man can reach and will bear fruit the first and second year after planted. Varieties—Double Red Delicious and Yellow Transparent. Price Each, \$2.50; 3 for \$6.50; 10 for \$20.00. 2 yr. old 9/16 to 11/16. LESS DISCOUNTS.

Cortland

## APPLE PRICES

(Except Dolgo, Dwarf and Lost Label)

2 year old 9/16 in. up 4/6 ft. First class.

Each	.....\$0.45	10 for	.....\$ 3.50
3 for	.....1.25	25 for	.....7.95
5 for	.....1.95	100 for	.....28.00

3 YEAR OLD 5/8 Ft. First Class

Each	.....\$1.00	5 for	.....\$4.00
3 for	.....2.70	10 for	.....6.50

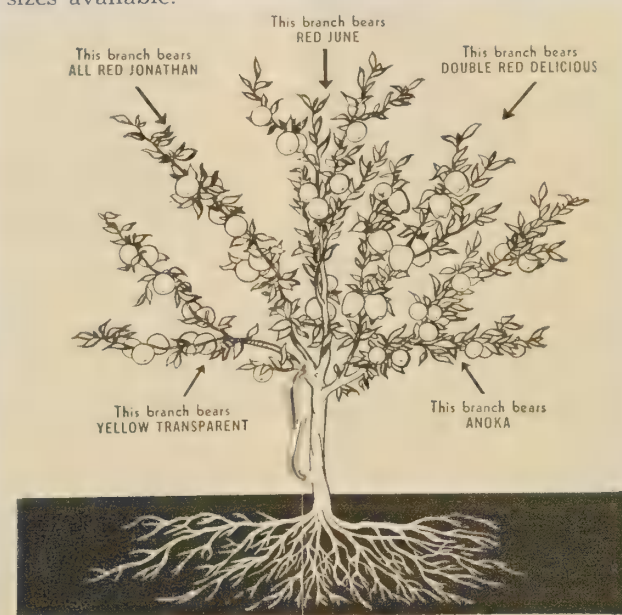
LESS DISCOUNTS

## ANOKA THE OLD FOLKS APPLE.

Bears first year. No waiting for fruit if you plant ANOKA. Hardy in all climates. The best early summer of them all. Makes the best of sauce and pies. The fruit is large and striped like a Northern Spy. The trees are not exactly Dwarf, but will never grow very large because they start to bear so young. Just the thing for old folks who would not think of planting ordinary apple trees. 2 and 3 yr. old trees available. Have bore in the nursery row.

## KENDALL

Kendall is a McIntosh seedling, originated at the New York experiment Station. The season is about the same as McIntosh, but it keeps longer and hangs on the trees better after ripe. Apples are large, beautiful red with a rich bloom, which gives the apple a purple cast. The flavor is delicious, making it one of the best eating apples. A good commercial sort. 2 and 3 yr. sizes available.



## VEST POCKET Apple Trees

Here is just the thing for you folks who have a limited space to plant a tree or two. Here are 5 varieties of good apples grafted on one tree. Dark red Delicious, Jonathan, Red June, Wealthy and Yellow Transparent. This will give you apples from early summer to late winter. Be the first one in your neighborhood to have one of these really worth while novelties. What a nice birthday, wedding or anniversary present one of these trees would make. Why not order one, and let us send it direct to your loved ones. Shipping season March to June, Oct. to Dec. 5-6 ft. 11/16 trees. Price \$1.50; 3 or more at \$1.40 each. Supply limited. Sent back hundreds of orders in 1940. Hurry!

## YELLOW TRANSPARENT

The finest extra early yellow apple. It ripens in July and the season continues to September. The fruit is of medium size, and can be used for pies and sauce before it is entirely ripe. The flesh is white, mild, juicy, and sweet. Trees grow upright, and can be planted at much less distance than most other varieties. Bears young, and regularly. 2- and 3-yr. sizes available.

## GRIMES GOLDEN

This is a wonderful yellow late winter keeping apple. Without any doubt it is the best pie and cooking apple we have. Fruit medium in size, firm and crispy. Bears young. Plant one at least. 2- and 3-yr. sizes available.

## JONATHAN

Everyone knows that Jonathan is second best seller on any market. Red Delicious being No. 1. Jonathan is a first class eating apple. Not such a good cooker. Fruit dark red, flesh white, and a good keeper. Trees bear young, and yearly. There are more Jonathan and Red Delicious set than all the rest of the varieties combined. 2- and 3-yr. old sizes available.

## McINTOSH

McIntosh is a late Fall apple. The fruit is red, good size, with white flesh. We would say that it takes the place of the old-fashioned SNOW APPLE. It's an eating apple. Trees grow fast and bear young. Not a winter keeper. 2- and 3-year sizes available.

## LOST LABEL TREES

Each year we have a few fruit trees from which the labels become broken off and lost so that we have no way in knowing what varieties they are, so we are going to offer them to you at real money-saving prices. These trees are from varieties that we have listed in this catalog, which are the cream of all varieties, so you will be sure of getting good stock. All trees will be 2-yr., 9/16, 11/16, and some of the 3-yr. sizes. Supply is limited, so order early. Here are the prices:

	Each	3	5	10
Apples	.....\$0.22	\$0.60	\$0.95	\$1.80
Peach	......22	.60	.95	1.80

NO DISCOUNTS

Jonathan



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Kendall



Red Delicious

## DOUBLE RED DELICIOUS

This variety is far superior to the common red Delicious as it is highly colored all around, with no green sides. Double Red Delicious is America's number one apple. It tops the market every time, and seems to bear in a wide range of soils and climates. The fruits are very large, solid red, with the five points, and rather long in shape. Truly a most beautiful apple, and the best eating apple of them all. Flesh slightly yellow, and semi-sweet flavor. 2- and 3-year old sizes available.

Yellow Transparent





## Money Saving

### PEACH PRICES

2 yr. old 9/16 4-5 ft.

Each .....	\$ .40
3 for .....	1.10
10 for .....	3.50
25 for .....	7.00
100 for .....	25.00

Prices on a year older transplants or SUPER size 11/16 to 1 in. cal. Each 75 cents; 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$6.00. Should bear a year sooner.

### FERTILE HALE

This new introduction was brought about by the Greening Nursery Co. It has been produced by bud selection and has been found to need no other variety to help pollinize it like J. H. Hale does. This Fertile Hale will produce full crops of beautiful Hales even more beautiful than the J. H. Hale. The Fertile Hale is far more hardy and productive in bud than the common J. H. Hale. At the experiment station in South Haven, Michigan, Fertile Hale came through with a crop when J. H. Hale and Elberta failed. Flesh yellow, with yellow skin with deep carmine blush. Good shipper. Freestone. Will bring the highest price on any market. Fertile Hale, like South Haven, are real money makers on account of their hardiness and fine quality. They are the two commercial Peaches to grow for profit and pleasure. Fertile Hale has a plant patent applied for. Our trees are the genuine. Prices: Each 50c; 10 for \$4.00; 100 for \$30.00.

### SOUTH HAVEN

This is the pollenizer variety as well as the best variety next to Hale Haven. South Haven is the hardiest variety except HARDEE. It is a commercial variety as well as a fine canner and home use kind. Freestone, yellow flesh. Tender, sweet. Large. Ripens about 18 days before Elberta. Don't fail to order them to pollinize your other trees of different varieties.

# Stromer's Reliable

### ELBERTA

This is the standard market peach wherever you go. Fruit very large, oblong shape. Yellow, FREESTONE and tender flesh with a firm skin, which makes it the best shipping peach. Ripens first week in September. Flesh turns to deep red near the pit. Good canning variety.

### HALE HAVEN

Introduced by the Michigan Experiment Station. It is a cross between the J. H. Hale and the South Haven. Freestone. Yellow flesh. Firm. Excellent Quality. Ripens last week in August. This is what we consider the very best peach of them all. Trees are strong growers, and hardy. This variety will make you big money and should be planted extensively.



Elberta

#### Collection No. 19

5 Hale Haven For  
5 Elberta only  
2 yr. old 9/16

**\$2.40**

No  
Discount.

If wanted  
in the SU-  
PER Size.  
Price, \$4.  
No DIS-  
COUNT.

Hale Haven



Polly

### POLLY

This is the hardiest of all white peaches. Originated at the Iowa Experiment Station, withstands 20° below zero. You folks who live out of the peach country should plant Polly. This is a home use variety, as it's too soft to ship very far. The fruit is large, white and FREESTONE. Ripens a few days ahead of Elberta. Polly has an outstanding delicious flavor that you will never forget.

### HOCHESTER

A yellow FREESTONE peach having the exceptional merit of being early, ripening about Aug. 10th. It is extra sweet, juicy and delicious flavor. It ships well and is a money maker. The trees are hardy, and heavy annual bearers.

20% discount until February 5.

15% discount until March 5.

10% discount until April 5.

If you receive this catalog late we will allow you 10 days to take advantage of the 20%. 20% will again be allowed for all Fall 1941 orders.



# Peach Trees

## HARDEE

U. S. Plant Patent No. 120.

HARDEE HAS BUMPER CROP AFTER 1934's LONG 18° BELOW ZERO  
Scientists Hail HARDEE as the Most Important Peach  
Discovery In Past 25 Years

The fruit is described by the Ohio state authorities as being "large to above large. The fruit is slightly elongated and characteristically pointed. It is an Elberta type, ripening with Elberta and a little later. It is yellow, freestone, highly colored and with firm flesh of the best quality." Its thick skin makes it an excellent shipper. The flavor of the fruit is distinct and delicious. It has a very real Peach flavor. The tree habit and vigor of growing is good indeed and may be classed as intermediate between Elberta and J. H. Hale. This peach is sold under license of the patent holder.

Prices Each 75c; 10 for \$6.00.



Red Elberta

## SURE CROP

## APRICOT

Produces good size fruit of an orange yellow color with a little darker red cheek. Very delicious flavor, with small FREESTONE pit. They are very productive and bear young. As hardy as a peach, and as easy to grow. Ripens in August.

Excellent when canned or eaten fresh. Apricot should be called the health fruit, because it is unsurpassed as a regulator. Price 2 yr. old trees 70c each. 2 for \$1.35; 3 yr. old, \$1.25 each. Always plant two trees for proper pollenization.



Apricot 1/2 Actual Size



J. H. Hale

## J. H. HALE PEACH

Known as the Giant of the peaches. No other peach will get as large and fine as J. H. Hale. Ripens 5 days earlier than Elberta. Yellow freestone, beautifully blushed with very small pit. Smooth and fuzzless. It is however a shy bearer unless you plant a variety like South Haven near it to make cross pollenization. If this is done it will bear as heavy as Elberta, and of much better quality. Grow J. H. Hale and watch the people beat a track to your place for fruit.

## REDELBERTA

U. S. Plant  
Patent No. 232

A Bud sport of the famous Elberta. Identical with the common Elberta except that it ripens 10 days earlier and has double the red color. It is ready to pick when red, and therefore can be placed on the market sooner to get better prices. The coming commercial peach. This is a patented variety.

Prices, 9/16 4-5 ft.: Each 70c, 12 for \$6.60, \$30.00 per 100. SUPER size, 5-7 ft., 80c each, \$7.20 per 12, \$35.00 per 100.

## Sure Crop Nectarines

Fruit as large as Peaches, but entirely fuzzless. Golden orange with blazing red blushes. Strikingly beautiful, and richly flavored. Combine Peach and Apricot flavor. Trees hardy as Peaches, easy to grow.

PRICES	Each	2	6
2-yr.-old 9/16 in. trees...	\$0.95	\$1.80	\$4.80
3-yr.-old size .....	1.50		

## Principles of Fruit Growing



by L. H. Bailey. Practical information for growers of every kind of tree and bush fruits. Tells where to locate the orchard, how to plant, cultivate, prune, spray, and do every other operation necessary to bring high production. Methods of harvesting, grading, and marketing are described. 186 illustrations, 432 pages. Postpaid price \$3.00.





Black Tartarian

### BLACK TARTARIAN

Here is one of the best all around big black sweet cherry. Trees are vigorous upright growers, which produce enormous crops year after year. Fruit is large purplish black, shaped round with small pit. Flavor is rich. Juicy. Ripens the last of June to Early July.

**PAUL ROSE** Here is quite a novelty. Lack of space prevents us illustrating this high quality sweet Cherry. It's about like the Black Tartarian except that each cherry will have a real dark band around the entire cherry. The quality is excellent. Large. Juicy, Black, Sweet. Try one and have something different.

### RUSSIAN MULBERRY

If you plant cherry trees this year or now have cherry trees growing, plant a Russian Mulberry for the birds. They will leave your cherries alone, and eat the Mulberries. One tree is enough. Price 75c each. Large 5-6 ft. tree.



## Stromer's CHERRIES

**EARLY RICHMOND** This is the earliest of all pie cherries. Fruit medium size bright red and juicy. Ripens early June with strawberries. Fine for canning and pies, as well as eaten fresh from the tree. Starts to bear young, and very hardy. The kids will thank you if you plant a tree or two for them to climb and eat cherries, as no other fruit will take the place of a tree full of nice ripe juicy cherries.

**LARGE MONTMORENCY** This is the largest of all pie cherries. Fruit is large bright red and juicy. Ripens about 10 days after Early Richmond. This is the variety that is most widely planted in all cherry growing sections. Bears second or third year. Very hardy.

**NAPOLEON** Large heart shaped, beautiful golden yellow sweet cherry. Flesh is firm and brittle. Small pit. Very sweet. Ripens in July. Trees vigorous and hardy.

**WINDSOR** Large liver-colored dark sweet cherry. One of the best. Sweet, firm and brittle. Ripens middle of July. Little larger fruit than Black Tartarian, and later. Hardy, vigorous.

**SWEET SEPTEMBER** This is the new Fall bearing sweet cherry. Ripens in September and hangs till snow flies. Starts to bear second year. Annual cropper. Fruit about like Black Tartarian. This is a patented variety, and the price is \$1.50 each. 3-4 ft. size.

### Sweet and Pie Cherry Prices

(Except Sweet September)

#### 2-Year-Old 9/16

Each	\$ 0.60
3	1.65
5	2.60
10	5.00
25	12.00
50	22.50
100	43.00

#### 3-Year-Old Cherry Trees

Each	\$1.00
3	2.70

LESS DISCOUNTS



Montmorency Cherry

### Hansen Bush Cherry

The New Quick-Bearing Cherry

**EASY TO GROW  
SURE TO PRODUCE**

**Highly Productive—Good Flavor  
Hardy Everywhere**

**3 for  
\$1.00**

Though the fruit of this new Cherry much resembles a Plum in size and shape, it comes massed in clusters and at times almost completely covers the limbs. The tree itself grows in a sort of dwarf bush-like shape, rarely getting over four or five feet tall. In landscape planting these Bush Cherries are also desirable, as they are of striking ornamental value.

#### Plant These Hansen Bush Cherries Because:

- 1—They are so easy to grow and are perfectly hardy everywhere.
- 2—Are good to eat fresh, and make delicious preserves.
- 3—Bear from the ground up, early, heavy, and annually.
- 4—Are dwarf growing, bushy, and take up little room.
- 5—Excellent for hedges, ornamental shrubs and erosion control.

Fruits in one year. Large three-year-old Bush Cherries, ready to bear this year. Prices: Each 50c; 3 for \$1.00; 10 for \$2.50; 25 for \$5.00; 100 for \$15.00.



## HARDY PLUMS

**STANLEY PRUNE** This is the best of the Prune type plum. Its free stone, yellow flesh. Blue with heavy bloom. Quality excellent, being tender, sweet and juicy. Fine for canning.

**BLUE DAMSON** Everyone knows the Blue Damson variety. There is always a big demand.

**GREEN GAGE** Large round greenish yellow plum with a remarkable sweet flavor. Almost lacking of any acid. Tender yellow flesh with free stone pit. Hardy, regular bearer.

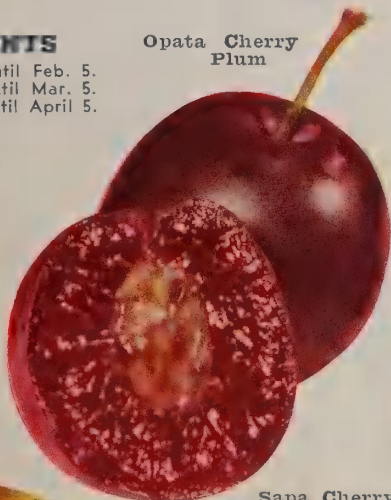
**FIEBING** This big red plum was originated in Minnesota. Fruits ripen early and extremely large in size. Beautiful red color, with freestone pit. Equal to any California plum in quality, size and appearance. It's a good one.

**SAPE & OPATA** Here are two cherry plums that should be planted together. One pollinizes the other. Both have dark wine colored flesh and purplish-red outside. Both grow about an inch in diameter and in clusters. Here are the two most popular Plum Cherry fruit for cold country where the common plums and cherries cannot be grown. Fruit is of excellent quality. Small pit. Bears second year. Always plant one of each. See money saving collection below price list. Regular price same as plum and pear.

### DISCOUNTS

20% Discount until Feb. 5.  
15% Discount until Mar. 5.  
10% Discount until April 5.

Opata Cherry Plum



Sape Cherry Plum



Fiebing Plum

Stanley Prune



### PLUM PRICES

Each	\$ 0.60
3	1.65
5	2.60
10	5.00
25	12.00
50	22.50
100	43.00

### LESS DISCOUNT

Prices = 3 yr. old = Super size trees that should bear a year earlier. Each \$1.00, 3 for \$2.70. LESS DISCOUNTS.

## HARDY PEARS

### SEEDLESS PEAR

Brand new variety. Practically SEEDLESS. Solid all the way through. Ideal for canning. No waste. It is of the Bartlett type, pure white flesh with yellow blushed skin. Ripens 10 days later than Bartlett, and trees bear when 3 years old. A 5 year tree known to bear 3 bushels of fruit. PRICE: 2 year old 9/16, each \$1.50. SUPER SIZE trees—Each \$1.75. (should bear a year sooner). NO DISCOUNT.

### SECKLE (Sugar Pear)

Yellowish russet rather small size with red cheek. Flesh white and very juicy and sweet. Ripens in August. Fine for pickling. Each, 60c; 3 for \$1.65.

### BARTLETT

The most popular home use and commercial variety. Large yellow with red cheek. Flesh tender and juicy. Bears every year, and lives on and on. Bartlett's the canning pear. Each, 60c; 3 for \$1.65; 5 for \$2.60; 10 for \$5.00; 25 for \$12.00.

Seedless Pear



### COLLECTION

1 Sape Cherry Plum  
1 Opata Cherry Plum

All for only **90¢**  
(No Discount) Worth \$1.20

### VEST POCKET PEAR TREES

Here is a practical novelty for you folks with a limited amount of space for planting trees. Five varieties of Pears—Garber, Bartlett, Seckel, Clapp's Favorite and Kieffer. Plant these trees now and gain the envy of all your friends and neighbors by being the first to have them. 11/16 in. h grade. 5 to 6 ft., each \$1.50; 3 or more at \$1.40 each; 3 yr. old 1 inch trees \$2.25 each. Less Discount. We also have these vest pocket trees in apples.





Caco

Golden Muscat

Fredonia

## Stromer's HARDY GRAPE VINES

### CACO

This is the new quick growing, young bearing delicious, sweet, big red grape that is so popular. It has no equal as a home use table grape. It has a peculiar characteristic found in no other grape, in that it is rich in flavor. Its deep wine red color is so pleasing to the eye. A vine full of these rich red beauties is a sight. They are so easy to grow that everyone should have a few vines in the back yard. Ripening in September like they do the crop will be harvested long before killing frosts. Always in demand at fancy prices, and roadside stand owners make big money with CACO. Bunches are large well formed, and make a fancy package. Hardy.

### CONCORD

Concord is beyond a doubt the most popular blue grape. More Concord are planted than all other varieties. It is the commercial table and wine variety. Concord is perfectly hardy, having stood 30° below zero, without injury. Does well on any soil, but makes the sweetest fruit on light sand that has been well fertilized. Bunches are large, compact and well shaped. Sweet and juicy. Vines grow fast, and bear second year.

### FREDONIA

This new early black grape was originated at the New York Experiment Station. No other grape contains quite so much sugar as Fredonia. Bunches are large and compact. Very hardy, vigorous grower. Bears second year. Ripens 15 days ahead of Concord, and tops the market on account of its high quality. A few cents spent now for some Fredonia plants will be a life time investment, for which you will never be sorry.

### DELAWARE

This is the little red grape that is so sweet and full of sugar. Bunches medium size, but the berries are small. Sells for twice as much as any other grape. You will be missing something if you do not have one vine of Delaware at least.

### NIAGARA

This is the great white grape that succeeds most everywhere, even as far South as Florida. Bunches are nice large well shaped. Of a greenish white, turning to a light yellow when dead ripe. When fully ripe they are as sweet as honey. Vines are hardy, and bear young.

### GRAPE PRICES

	1	6	12	25	100
Caco, 2 yr. No. 1.....	\$0.25	\$1.80	\$3.50	\$11.00	
Caco 3 yr. No. 1 Bearing age.....	.50	2.50	4.00		
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Fredonia 2 yr. No. 1.....	.35	1.50	2.80	4.50	12.00
Fredonia 3 yr. Bearing age.....	.50	2.50	4.00		
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Delaware 3 yr. Bearing age.....	.50	2.50	4.00		
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Niagara 3 yr. Bearing age.....	.35	1.50	2.80	4.50	12.00
Moore's Early 2 yr. No. 1.....	.20	.75	1.25	2.00	6.00
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Seedless Concord 2 yr. No. 1.....	1.25	6.00			

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### Collection No. 11

### Home Grape Vineyard

4 Concord, 3-yr.-old. No. 1. Blue.  
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### GOLDEN MUSCAT

This new hardy California yellow grape can now be grown anywhere, because it's hardy enough. The berries are large, and form a big compact bunch that is very attractive. Quality is of the best, fruit being meaty with the muscat aroma. Be sure to have at least one plant of this new variety in your garden or back yard, and be convinced. 2 yr. old No. 1 plants 95c each; 3 for \$2.50; 10 for \$7.00. 3 yr. Bearing age size \$1.50 each. LESS DISCOUNTS.

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This is the new gooseberry originated by Dr. A. F. Yeager at the North Dakota Experiment Station. As the name implies it "picks well." The berries hang down on slender stems about two inches below the branches. This feature together with the fewness and relative softness of its thorns makes picking the fruit a quick and easy operation. Pixwell is absolutely hardy and a good vigorous grower, producing large bushes that carry heavy loads of fruit. The berries are large, oval, an attractive light green color when immature, ripening to pink. Price: 2 yr. No. 1 plants each 50c; 3 for \$1.35. Less discount.

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Red Lake Currant

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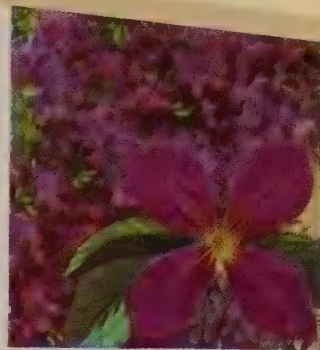
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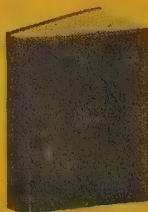


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